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Sir:

This paper, along with the attached Appeal Brief with Claims Appendix (Exhibit A), Evidence Appendix (Exhibit B), and Related Proceedings Appendix (Exhibit C), is submitted in response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed April 19, 2007. In the Notification, the Appeal Brief was objected to on the following basis: the appeal brief is missing headings IX (Evidence Appendix) and X (Related Proceedings Appendix).

With respect to the missing headings IX (Evidence Appendix) and X (Related Proceedings Appendix), Appellants note that both of these appendices were submitted with the Appeal Brief filed on December 14, 2006 as indicated on the return receipt postcard. Appellants include herewith a resubmission of both the Evidence Appendix and the Related Proceedings Appendix filed on December 14, 2006.

In view of the foregoing, Appellants believe that the Appeal Brief is in full compliance with the requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 47.37(c).

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Respectfully submitted,



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